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CYPRUS: TERRORISTS ALLEGEDLY TO ATTACK NEW MONITORING STATION

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((TEXT)) ACCORDING TO REPORTS FROM RESPONSIBLE SERVICES, THE NEW U.S. STATION FOR INFORMATION GATHERING (MONITORING STATION) THAT IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION OUTSIDE NICOSIA, IS THE NO. ONE TARGET IN THE PLANS OF THE TERRORIST ORGANIZATIONS THAT, ACCORDING TO REPORTS, ARE PREPARING TO GO INTO ACTION IN CYPRUS.

ACCORDING TO THE SAME REPORTS, UNIDENTIFIED PEOPLE WERE SEEN BOTH RECENTLY AND A FEW MONTHS AGO TAKING PICTURES OF THE U.S. STATION UNDER CONSTRUCTION IN THE ARKHANGELOS AREA NEAR ANTHOUPOLIS.

THE SAME SERVICES REPORT THAT THE PHOTOGRAPHS ARE NOW IN THE HANDS OF THE TERRORIST ORGANIZATIONS, WHOSE FIRST GOAL IS TO BLOW UP THE U.S. STATION.

THE U.S. STATION UNDER CONSTRUCTION IS KNOWN AS FBIS ((INITIALS PRECEDING IN ENGLISH -- FBIS)) (FOREIGN BROADCASTING INFORMATION SERVICE) WHICH OPERATED AT KARAVAS PRIOR TO THE TURKISH INVASION. IN RECENT YEARS, THE FBIS STATION HAS BEEN OPERATING IN NICOSIA AT AN APARTMENT BUILDING ON MAKARIOS AVENUE, NEAR THE HILTON HOTEL. THE U.S. STATION MONITORS AND RECORDS BROADCASTS FROM VARIOUS RADIO STATION IN THE REGION. KHARAVYI, THE AKEL PAPER, HAS CLAIMED THAT THE FBIS STATION IS CONTROLLED BY THE CIA.

AS REPORTED IN THE PAST, THE U.S. GOVERNMENT PAYS CYPRUS HALF A MILLION DOLLARS, BUT IT IS NOT KNOWN TO WHICH FUND THIS

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MONEY IS ALLOCATED.

AS WE REPORTED LAST MONDAY, THE POLICE AND THE EMERGENCY ACTION MOBILE UNIT HAVE TAKEN EMERGENCY SECURITY MEASURES AT U.S. AND BRITISH TARGETS IN NICOSIA SINCE LAST SATURDAY. THESE MEASURES REMAIN IN FORCE.

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